

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended): ~~Method~~ A method for generating printing data on the basis of which a disk label is creatable, wherein

- a) graphic data representing said disk label is generated at a graphic data generating location,
- b) said graphic data is transformed into said printing data at a printing data generating location,

~~characterized in that~~ wherein said graphic data generating location and said printing data generating location are parts of a communication network, respectively, wherein steps a) and b) are controlled by a network capable client being part of said communication network.

Claim 2 (Currently Amended): ~~Method~~ The method according to claim 1, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein said communication network includes the Internet and/or an Intranet.

Claim 3 (Currently Amended): ~~Method~~ The method according to claim 1, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein said graphic data generating location and said printing data generating location are both located on said network capable client.

Claim 4 (Currently Amended): ~~Method~~ The method according to claim 1, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein said graphic data generating location and said printing data generating location are both located on a network capable server being part of said communication network.

Claim 5 (Currently Amended): ~~Method~~ The method according to claim 1, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein said graphic data generating location is located on said network capable client, and said printing data generating location is located on a network capable server being part of said communication network.

Claim 6 (Currently Amended): ~~Method~~ The method according to claim 1, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein said graphic data is visualized to a client's user on a low dpi value basis, whereas said printing data is generated so as to have a high dpi value.

Claim 7 (Currently Amended): ~~Method~~ The method according to claim 6, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein said low dpi value is 72 dpi, and said high dpi value is 300 to 360 dpi.

Claim 8 (Currently Amended): ~~Method~~ The method according to claim 1, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein said printing data is adapted to different printing units by respective printing data conversion processes which convert said printing data from a first printing data format to a second printing data format, respectively.

Claim 9 (Currently Amended): ~~Method~~ The method according to claim 1, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein said printing data comprises postscript data or picture data of other picture formats.

Claim 10 (Currently Amended): ~~Method~~ The method according to claim 1, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein said printing data comprises CMYK-color-model-data.

Claim 11 (Currently Amended): ~~Method~~ The method according to claim 1, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein all steps intending to generate graphic data which can not be assigned to predefined CD-label printing areas are blocked during step a).

Claim 12 (Currently Amended): ~~Network~~ A network capable client having means for locally and/or remotely controlling/performing all processes ~~needed~~ used for generating printing data on the basis of which a disk label is creatable.

Claim 13 (Currently Amended): ~~Network~~ The network capable client according to claim 12, ~~characterized by~~ further comprising:

~~browser means usable~~ a browser configured for visiting remote websites and for employing functionality of said remote websites.

Claim 14 (Currently Amended): ~~Network~~ The network capable client according to claim 13, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein said browser ~~means is capable of using~~ configured to use applets ~~being~~ offered by said website, said applets being the basis for controlling/performing said processes ~~needed~~ used for generating printing data.

Claim 15 (Currently Amended): ~~Network~~ The network capable client according to claim 12, ~~characterized by~~ further comprising:

~~comprising/running~~ a drawing tool ~~allowing~~ configured to allow a user to generate a drawing corresponding to said desired disk label.

Claim 16 (Currently Amended): ~~Network~~ The network capable client according to claim 15, ~~characterized by~~ further comprising:

means for allowing said user only to generate drawings which fit into predefined CD-label printing areas.

Claim 17 (Currently Amended): ~~Network~~ The network capable client according to claim 15, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein said drawing tool visualizes said drawing on a low dpi value basis, wherein said client ~~comprises~~ includes means for generating printing data corresponding to said drawing on a high dpi value basis.

Claim 18 (Currently Amended): ~~Network~~ The network capable client according to claim 12, ~~characterized by~~ further comprising:

means for exporting said printing data to a remote server.

Claim 19 (Canceled).

Claim 20 (Currently Amended): ~~Network~~ The network capable server according to claim [[19]] 23, ~~characterized by~~ further comprising:

web means for allowing a web browser running on a remote client to access said offered functionality.

Claim 21 (Currently Amended): ~~Network~~ The network capable server according to claim 20, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein said offered functionality are applets to be used in conjunction with a web browser.

Claim 22 (Currently Amended): ~~Network~~ The network capable server according to claim [[19]] ~~23, characterized by further comprising:~~

means for receiving printing data being remotely generated by said remote client.

Claim 23 (Currently Amended): ~~System~~ A system for performing ~~all~~ processes ~~needed~~ used for generating printing data on the basis of which a disk label is creatable, ~~characterized by comprising:~~

[[ - ]] a network capable client having means for locally and/or remotely controlling/performing ~~all~~ said processes ~~needed~~ used for generating printing data on the basis of which a disk label is creatable; and ~~creatable, and a~~

[[ - ]] ~~network capable server according to claim 19,~~  
a network capable server offering functionality directly usable by a remote client on said server and/or installable on said remote client in order to be remotely used, said functionality adapted to locally and/or remotely control/perform said processes used for generating printing data on the basis of which a disk label is creatable, wherein said network capable client and said network capable server are connected with each other via a communication network.

Claim 24 (Currently Amended): ~~System~~ The system according to claim 23, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein said communication network comprises the Internet and/or an Intranet.

Claim 25 (Currently Amended): ~~Computer program product comprising~~ A computer readable medium encoded with a computer program ~~means adapted to perform and/or embody the method steps as defined in claim 1 when being executed on a computer, a digital~~

~~signal processor or the like~~ containing instructions configured to cause a processor-based device to execute the method of claim 27.

Claim 26 (Canceled).

Claim 27 (New): A method for performing processes used for generating printing data on the basis of which a disk label is creatable, comprising:

remotely controlling/performing said processes used for generating printing data on the basis of which a disk label is creatable; and

offering functionality directly usable by a remote client on said server and/or installable on said remote client in order to be remotely used, said functionality adapted to locally and/or remotely controlling/performing said processes used for generating printing data on the basis of which a disk label is creatable, wherein said network capable client and said network capable server are connected with each other via a communication network.

Claim 28 (New): The method according to claim 27, wherein said communication network comprises the Internet and/or an Intranet.